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BUILDING NEWS : AND : GOSSIP

PLANS OF LINCOLN MEMORIAL ON VIEW

Designs on Exhibition in the National Museum.

Two designs for the proposed Lincoln Memorial were placed on public view at the National Museum yester-

The design of Henry Bacon, architect, of New York contemplates the construction of a granite pile on a fite in Potomac Park, and that of John Russell Pope, architect, and Adolph A. Weinman, sculptor, was prepared with the idea of using a site at the Soldiers'

Weiman, scuiptor, was prepared with
the idea of using a site at the Soldiers'
Home. Both designs will rémain on
view at the Museum until all persons
and societies which are interested in
seeing erected in Washington a fitting
tribute to Lincoln may have opportunity to inspect them.

The Pope plan contemplates the
erection in the Soldiers' Home grounds
of a great open-air colonnade with a
statue of Lincoln in heroic size in the
center. The Hacon plan calls for the
creation of an artificial terrace totaling twenty-seven feet in height above
the present ground level in Potomac
Park, on the top of which the architect would have placed a granite platform 231 feet long and 168 feet wide,
aurmounted by a colonnade 171 feet
long and 168 feet wide.
Inside the colonnade is the memorial
hall, which has a total height of 88
feet above finished grade, or 130 feet
above high-water mark in the Potomac
River. This design makes the memorial in the form of a monument symbolizing the union of the United States
of America, inclosing in the walls of
Its sanctuary three memorials to the
man himself, one a statue of heroic
size, expressing his humane personality; the others memorials of his two
great speeches—one of the Gettysburg
speech. The other of his second inaugural address, each with attendant sculpture and painting, telling in allegory
of his splendid qualities evident in
those speeches.

In the description which accompanied in
the Bacen desire.

diameter, is raised Il feet above the present grade. On its outer edge will be planted four concentric rows of trees, leaving a plateau in the center 709 feet in diameter, which is 4 feet greater than the length of the Capitol.

"In the center of this plateau, surrounded by wide roadways and walks, will rise a terrace 16 feet high and 500 feet in diameter, making the total elevation of grade 27 feet above the present grade. On this rises the memorial to Lincoln.

"On a granite, rectangular base is placed a series of plinths, or steps, thirteen in number typifying the thirteen original States. The top step supports on its outer edge a Greek Doric colomade of thirty-six columns, symbolising the Union of 1855, each column representing a State existing at the time of Lincoln's State existing at the time of Lincoln's

"This colonnade of the Union surrounds the wall of the memorial hall, which rises through and above it, and at the top of the wall is a decoration, supported at intervals by eagles, of forty-eight memorial festoons, one for each State in the Union to-day.

WASHINGTON RANKS FOURTH ON THE LIST

November Statistics from Building Inspector.

Washington ranked fourth among all he cities of the United States in point the cities of the United States in point of building during November, according

The local building inspector's office has recently taken up the practice of reporting both private and public building enterprises in all the larger cities through-out the country. The figures for No-vember have just been received, and the comparison places Washington well up near the top of the list. In this city during November buildings

In the sescreption which accompanied the Bacon design it is stated that "the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and the Parameter of the Paramet

A BUNGALOW FOR \$2,525.

HOUSE OF MERCY FIGURES IN SALE

Property Bought by St. Stephen's Catholic Church.

With the announcement yesterday of the sale of the former House of Mercy property, located at Twenty-fourth and K streets northwest, another chapter has meen a ded to the history of one of the most unique institutions of this city. This property, which was formerly

owned by a corporation known as the Association for Works of Mercy, has been purchased through the office of H. L. Rust for St. Stephen's Catholic Church, nue northwest. The price paid was \$19,500.

The House of Mercy, a three-story ture, containing about sixteen s, was built about thirty years ago be purpose of providing a home for rigible girls and for women in deatiincorrigible girls and for women in desti-tute circumstances. It was occupied as such until several months ago, when the institution moved to its new home at Kingle Ford road and Rosemont ave-nue, adjoining Rock Creek Park. The House of Mercy is an Episcopal institu-tion, operated under the auspices of the Episcopal Diocese of Washington.

Occupies Large Lot.

The property which figures in the sale has a frontage of about 140 feet on K street and about 150 feet in Twentyof building during November, according to statistics just issued by the building inspector's office. The three cities which surpassed Washington were New York, Chicago, and Boston.

Street and about 100 feet to fourth street. The building formrely used as the House of Mercy occupies one corner of the lot, the remainder being used as a park or garden. The entire property as a park or garden. The entire property s surrounded by a high brick wall. is surrounded by a high brick wall.

During the thirty or more years it was
used as a house of refuge, hundreds of
women and girls were cared for in this
unique institution. It was open to every
one, and the life within its walls was
responsible for the reformation of scores

responsible for the reformation of scores of incorrigible girls and women. Just what use to which the old building will be placed, now that it has changed owners, has not yet been announced, but it is understood that it may be used for a parish hall. For several years St. Stephen's Church had been contemplating purchasing a site for this purpose on the north side of K street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets. The House of Mercy site is much better suited for such a purpose because of its shape and size and location. It is just across the Street from St. Anne's Infant Asylum.

Last night Rev. Joseph Cassidy, pastor of St. Stephen's Church, said that while the 'property would be used for a church building, he was yet unable to make a

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RAIN DELAYS WORK.

Columbus Memorial on Plaza Held Up by Weather.

Because of the rain during the last week, the work of assembling parts of week, the work of assembling parts of the Columbus Memorial, to be erected on the Union Station plaza, has been greatly delayed. The first stone probably will be set in place to-day.

The massive blocks are arriving daily, and it will not be long before most of them have been set. Twenty re-enforced concrete girders already have been placed, in position as a foundation for the me-morial.

The contract calls for the completion

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'FLATFOOT' GUNNER HIT WITH HAMMER

Two Marines Charged with Assaulting Seaman. Suffering from a fracture of the skull

inflicted with a hammer, E. R. Gillette, a scaman gunner, stationed at the Washington Navy Yard, was removed from his The contract calls for the completion of the memorial by May 1. It will cost about \$100,000.

HYATT HAS CHANCE.

Mysteriously Slashed Man May Survive Injuries.

Albert B. Hyatt, proprietor of the Lincoln Hotel, Tenth and H streets northwest, about whose finding with more of cuts on his body Sunday night while he was leaving the northwest, about whose finding with more of cuts on his body Sunday night can mystery hung, is reported to have a good chance to recover.

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The contract calls for the completion of the will cost about \$100,000.

HYATT HAS CHANCE.

Mysteriously Slashed Man May Monday night while he was leaving the house of a man named Mills at 1207% L. Doll and J. Shepherd, were locked up at the navy yard and later turned over to the Fifth precinct.

Bad feeling between the two marines and Gillette is said to have existed for some time, because of the application of the epithet "fatfoot" to the seaman guner hy his alleged angallants.

At the hospital Gillate said he would retain the police drop the mariter. Late last night physicians peronounced his charces for recovery good.

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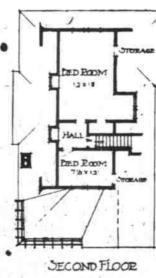
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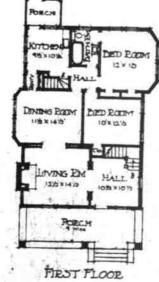
Country Cousin—Blamed if this ain't the fust time I ever saw freffire when they was snow on the ground.

City Relative—Those are not freffice. They are cigarette butta failing from the arroulance.

Largest Morning Circulation.

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This artistic bungalow makes a splendid home, the cost being comparatively cheap for a house this size. The exterior is of plaster, giving a very beautiful effect. The front has a spacious veranda, which not only adds to the beauty of the exterior, but is a very convenient feature during the summer months. The large open fireplace in living room and the open stairway in hall present a very charming effect upon entering. The dining-room, pantry, and kitchen are very well grouped and conveniently located. There are two large bedrooms on this floor, both with ample

The second floor contains two bedrooms, well lighted and ventilated, one of which can be used for a billiard room if desired, and storage space.

Cellar is 7 feet deep under whole house. Ceiling heights: First floor, 9 feet; second floor, 8 feet 6 inches,

An itemized cost of construction is here given:

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